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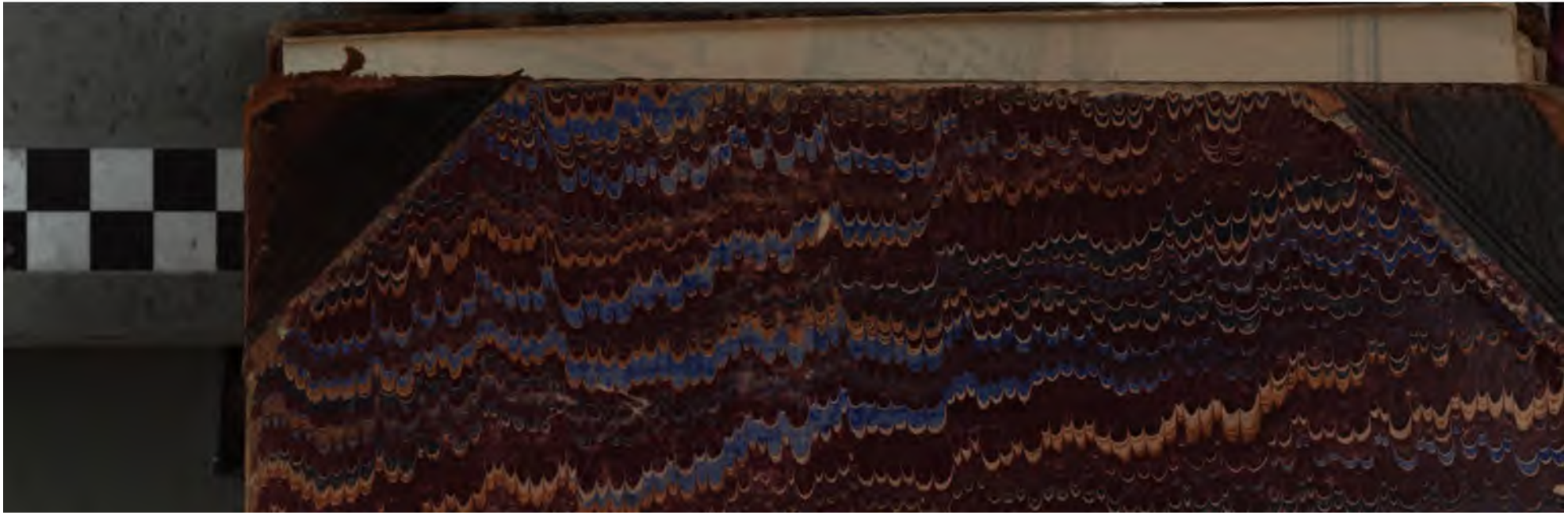

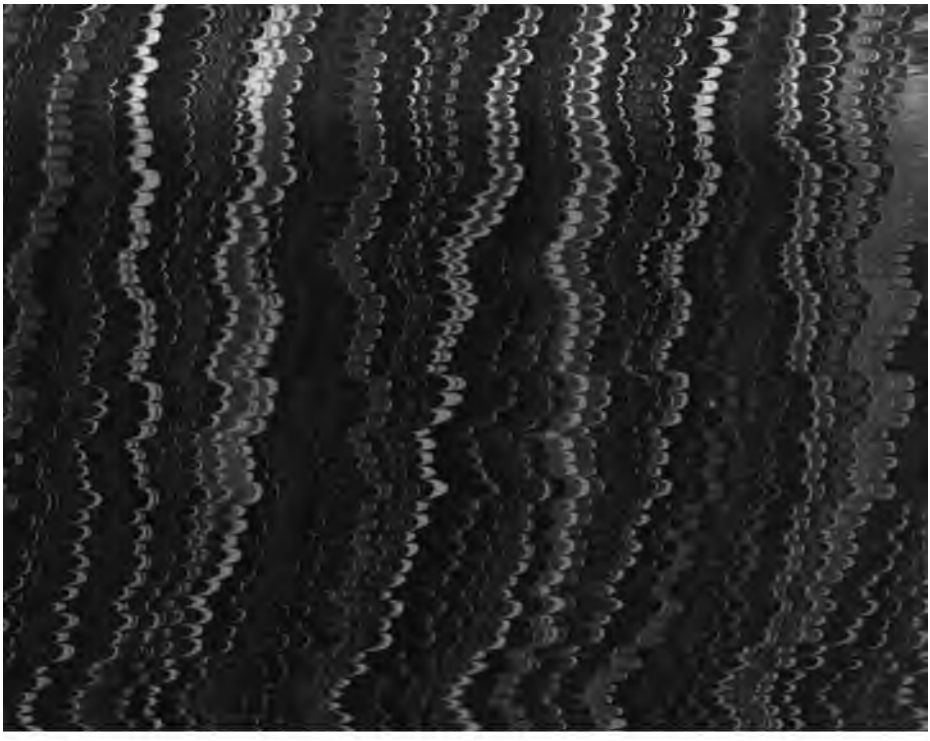

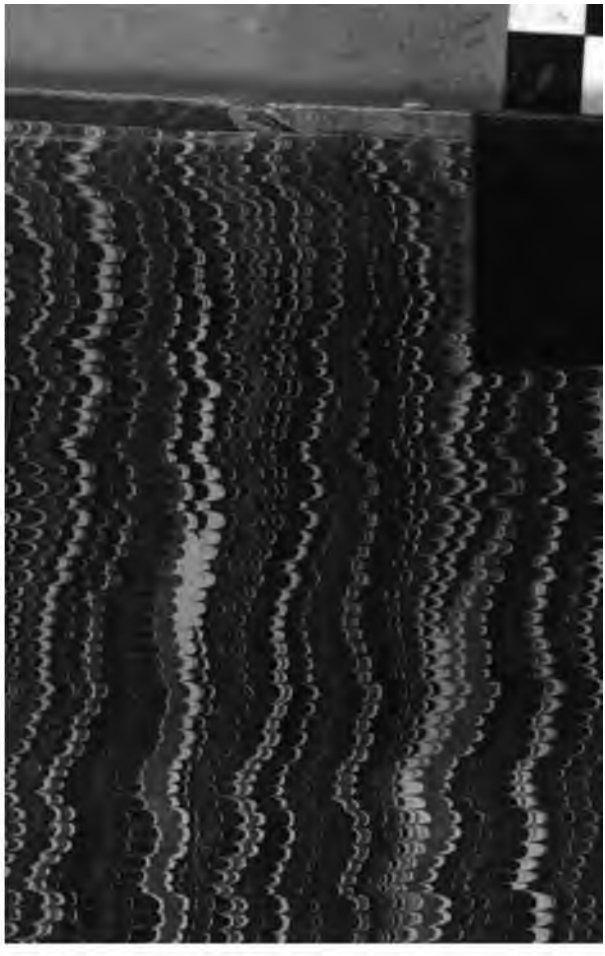

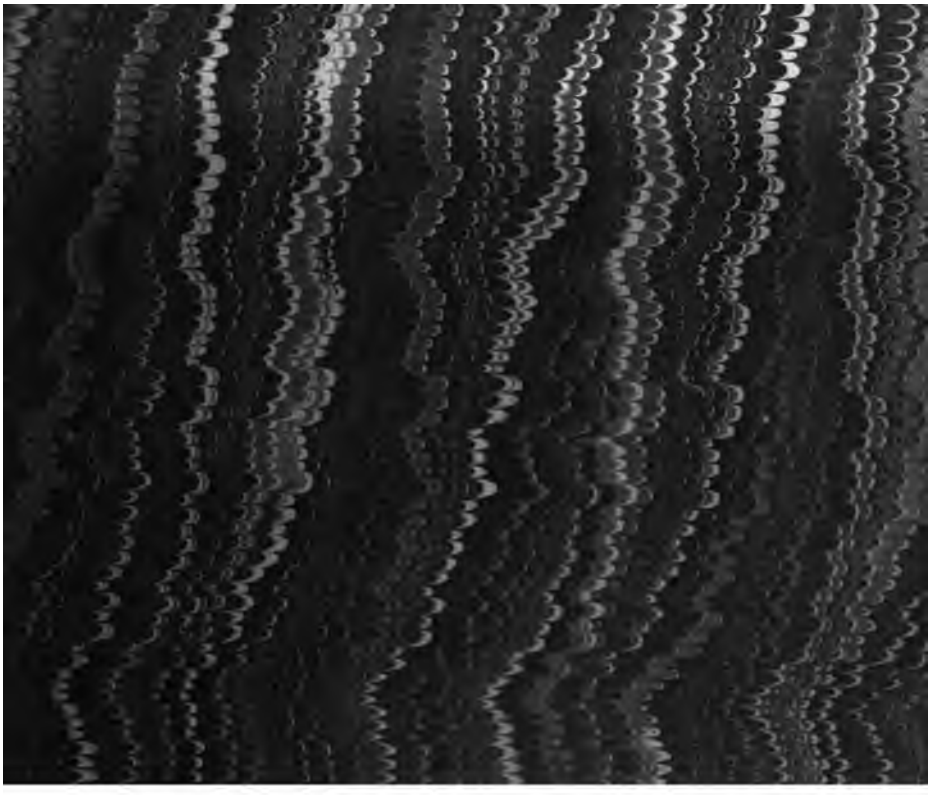

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PREFATORY NOTE.

[It will be seen by reference to the following list of Proprietary Manors, that many are wanting. It has been deemed proper, however in elucidation of the text and the volumes devoted to the "Minutes of the Board of Property," to preserve copies of such as have been found in a special volume of the present series of Pennsylvania Archives as a separate and distinct volume. The burning of the State printing office, which destroyed volume three, will only delay the publication of that volume a brief time. It is to be regretted that this record of the Manors of the Province of Pennsylvania cannot be made complete, but for the present it is wise to thus preserve what may now be secured. In this connection, it has been seen fit to reproduce Reed's Plan or Map, of Philadelphia, the copy in the Land Department, owing to frequent reference, being in almost illegible condition. Further search may bring to light other Draughts which, in time, may thus be preserved for futurity.]

The Proprietary Manors.

Name.	To Whom Granted.	Date.	Acres.	Location.
Amorland of Bilton, . . .	Wm. and Margaret Lowther.	1733	2,850	Chester County.
Amsterdam, ... Rotterdam, ...	Proprietaries, . .	1768	2,770	Northumberland.
Antolhough or Andolhea,	Richard Penn. . .	1741	5.000	Lancaster (See Little Swatara.)
Beaver Harbor, ...	Proprietaries. . .	1763	665	Northumberland.
Bedford, ...	Proprietaries. . .	1762	2,810	Bedford.
Bilton, ...	John Penn, ...	1701	9,840	Chester.
Callowhill, ...	Thos. Callowhill, .	1762	5.000	Chester.
Chawton, ...	John Page, ...	1735	1,500	Northampton.
Cherry Hill, ...	Proprietaries. . .	1763	1,202	Westmoreland.
Chest, ...	Proprietaries. . .	1750	1,123	Bedford.
Conestoga, ...	William Penn. . .	1717	16,000	Lancaster.
Cow-Pasture.	Proprietaries. . .	1763	3,403	Berks.
Crooked Dale, ...	Proprietaries. . .	1769	1,026	Northumberland.
Damascus, ...	Proprietaries. . .	1773	4,390	Northampton.
Denmark, ...	Proprietaries. . .	1769	4,861	Westmoreland.
Dundee.	Proprietaries. . .	1773	10,000	Northumberland.
Elk Forest, ...	Proprietaries. . .	1765	11,526	Northampton.
Fagg.	Letitia Aubrey. . .	1737	59,250	Chester.
Fell.	Gulielma Maria Fell.	1727	10,000	Lancaster.
Fox Harbor, ...	Proprietaries. . .	1765	1,691	Northampton.
Fermor	Proprietaries. . .	1736	. . . .	Northampton.
Freame.	Thomas Freame. .	1733	2,700	Bucks.
Freame.	Thomas Freame. .	1741	10,000	Lancaster.
Gilberts.	Proprietaries. . .	1765	4,065	Philadelphia.
Hempfield.	Proprietaries. . .	1720	2,817	Lancaster.
Highland.	Proprietaries. . .	1755	7,750	Bucks.
Highlands.	Proprietaries. . .	1762 / 1762	17,45 / 765	Bedford
Indian Landing.	Proprietaries. . .	1775	1,836	Northumberland.

THE PROPRIETARY MANORS—Continued.

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29,	Indian Tract, ...	Proprietaries, . .	1733	6,500	Bucks.
	Jericho, ...	Proprietaries, . .	. . .	596	Northampton.
	Job's Discovery, ...	Proprietaries, . .	. . .	1,615	Northumberland.
30,	Kittaning, ...	Proprietaries, . .	1769	3,960	Westmoreland.
	Lake Paupanauming, . .	Proprietaries, . .	. . .	215	Northampton.
31,	Lechawaxsin or Wallenpaupack.	Proprietaries, . .	1748	12,150	Northampton.
32,	Letitia Aubreys, ...	Letitia Aubrey, . .	1737	5,000	Chester.
33,	Little Juniata, ...	Proprietaries, . .	1762	5,913	Bedford.
33½,	Little Swatara, ...	Richard Penn, . .	1741	5,000	Lancaster.
34,	Lowther, ...	Proprietaries, . .	1764	7,551	Cumberland.
35,	Maske, ...	Thos. and Rich. Penn.	1741	45,500	York.
36,	Macungy, ...	Proprietaries, . .	1762	5,000	Northampton.
37,	Manatawny, ...	John Penn, . . .	1701	12,000	Philadelphia.
38,	Meadows, The, ...	Proprietaries, . .	1763	3,032	

THE PROPRIETARY MANORS—Continued.

No.	Name.	To Whom Granted.	Date.	Acres.	Location.
60.	Shohocking.	Proprietaries,	1763	520	Northampton.
61.	Sinking Valley.	Proprietaries,	1763	9,056	Bedford.
62.	Springetsbury.	William Penn,	1703	1,840	Philadelphia.
63.	Springetsbury.	Springett Penn,	1768	64,520	York.
64.	Springfield.	Gulielma Maria Penn.	1687	4,010	Philadelphia.
65.	Springton.	William Penn.	1701	10,000	Chester.
66.	Stoke.	Proprietaries.	1768	9,800	Northumberland.
67.	Sunbury.	Proprietaries.	1768	20,000	Northumberland.
68.	Terrapin Harbor.	Proprietaries.	1763	859	Northampton.
69.	Tulpehocken.	Richard Penn.	1765	7,510	Berks.
70.	Vincent.	Vincent, Cox and Thompson.	1686	30,000	Chester.
71.	Vineyard.	Proprietaries.	1752	2,000	Bucks.
2.	Waphallopen.	Proprietaries.	1768	601	Northumberland.
73.	William Penn.	William Penn.		5,000	Chester.
74.	Williamstadt.	William Penn, Jr.	1773.	7,482	Philadelphia.
	Woodcock Valley.	Proprietaries.		2,473	(See Highlands.)
75.	Wyoming.	Proprietaries.		10,000	Northumberland.
6.	Yorktown.	Proprietaries.		421	York (part of Springetsbury).

Map of Abraham's Plains.

Holmes Portraiture of Philadelphia

Reed's Plan of "First Purchasers."

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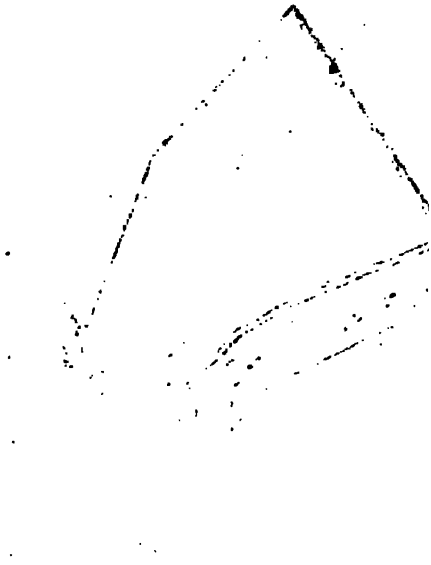

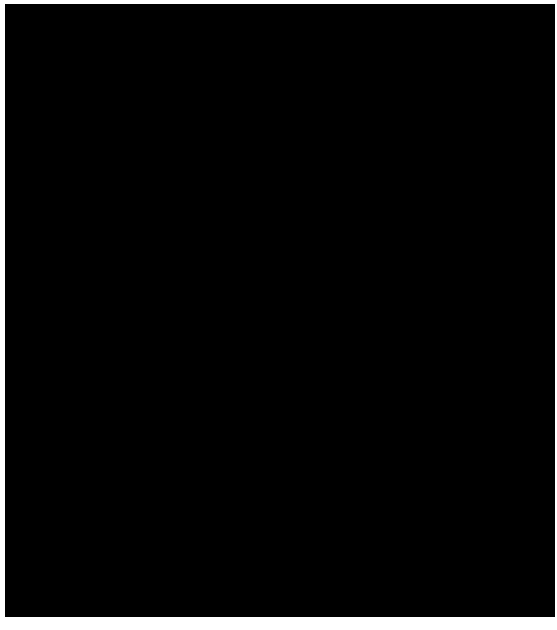

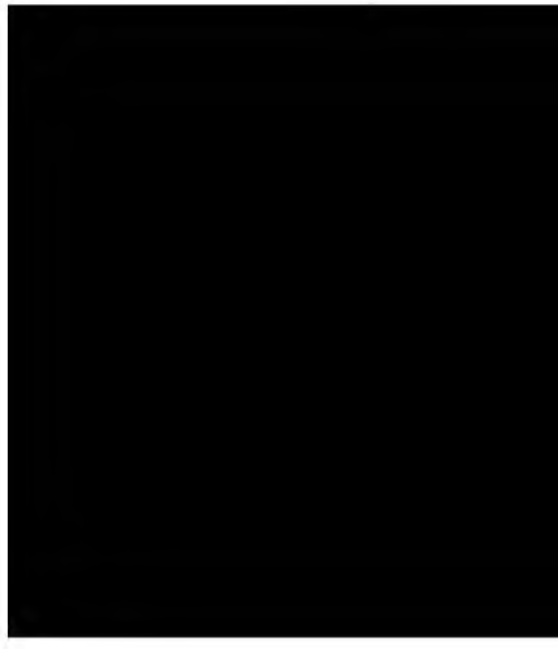

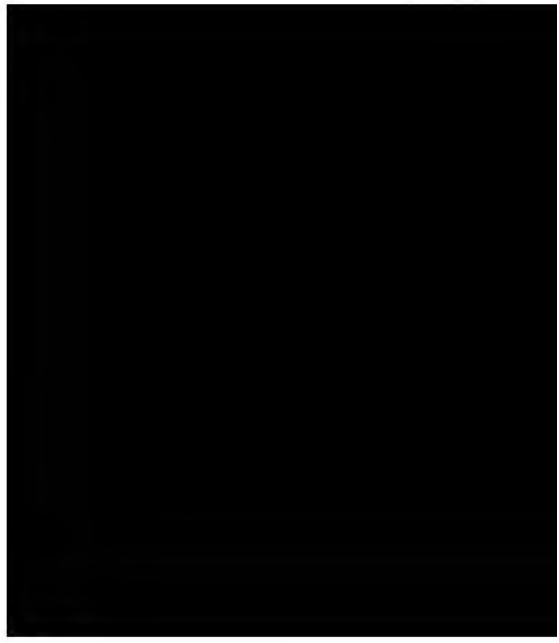

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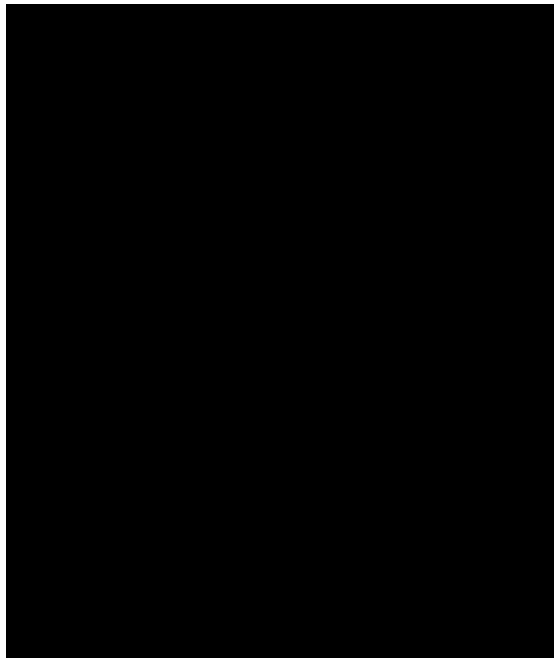

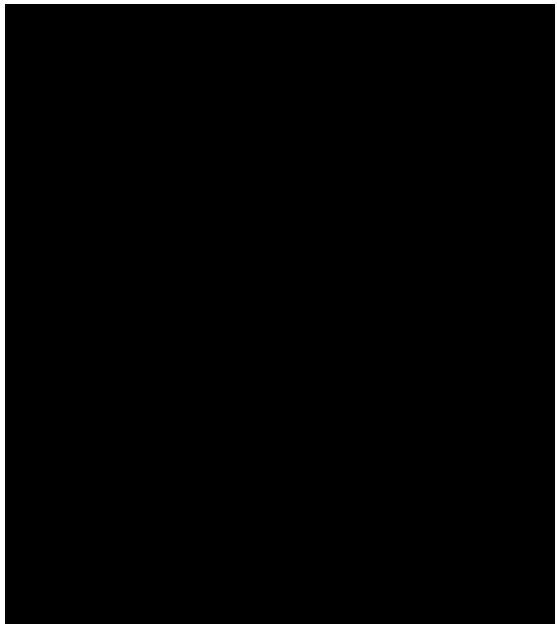

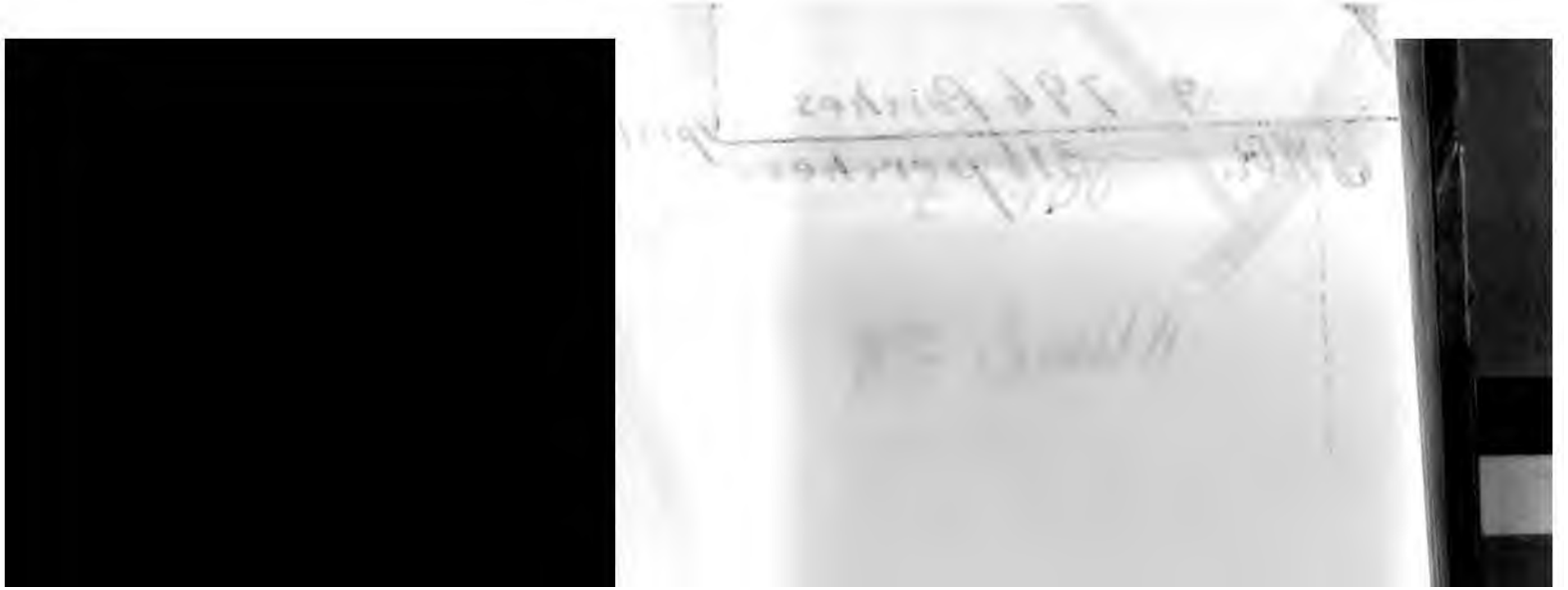

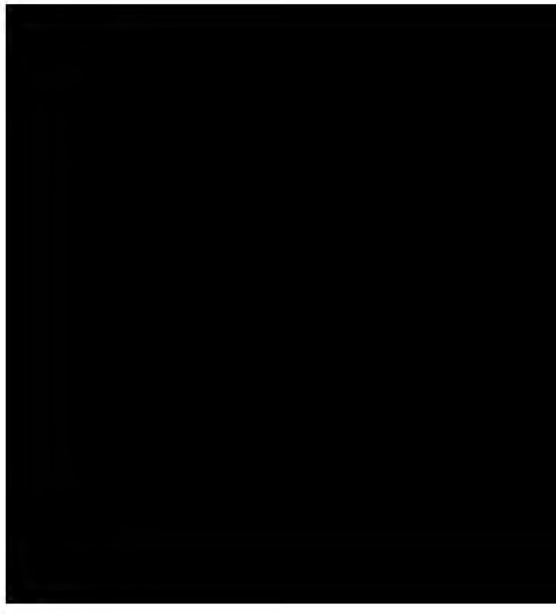

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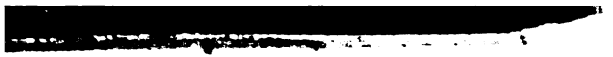

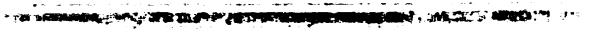

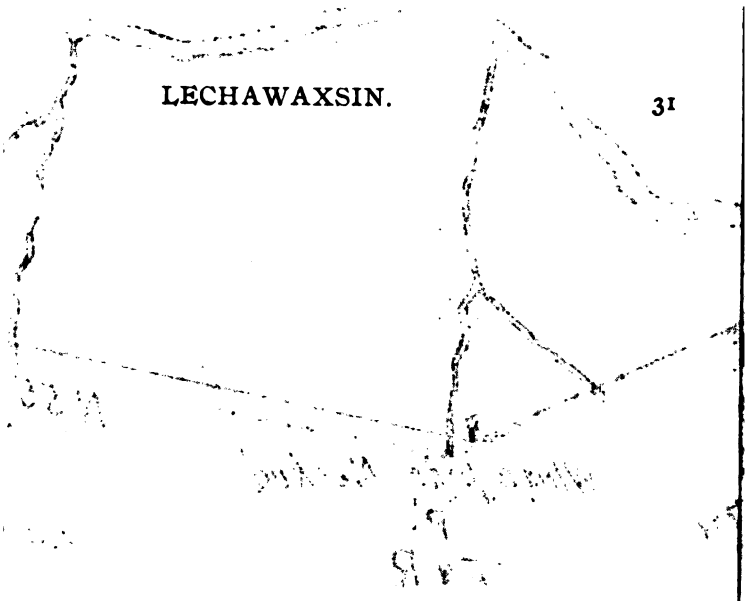

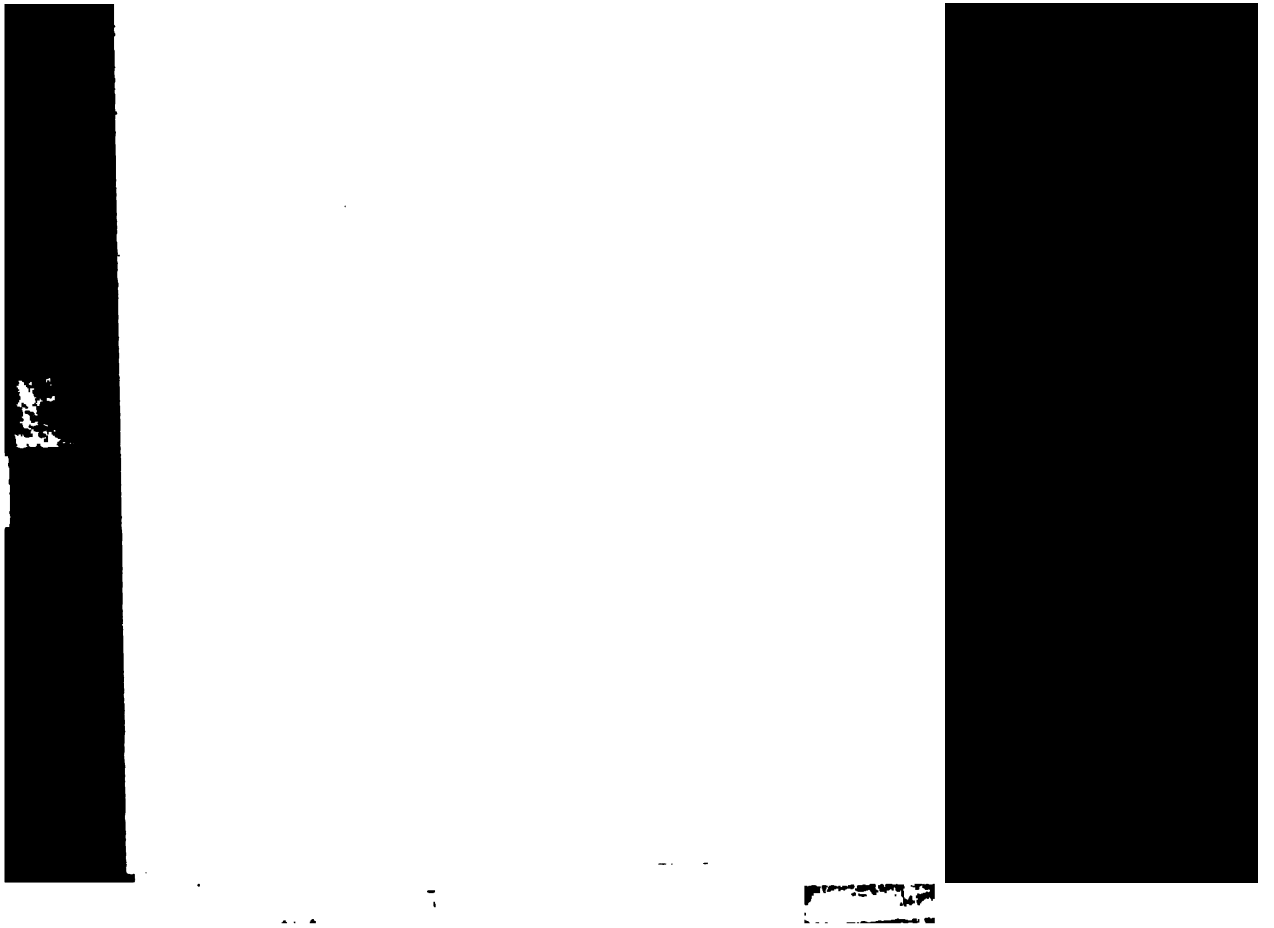

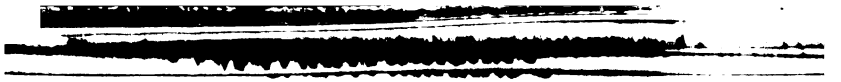

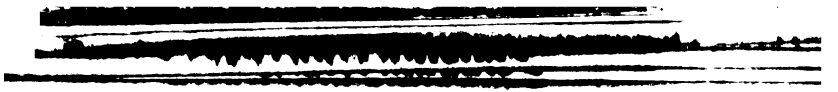

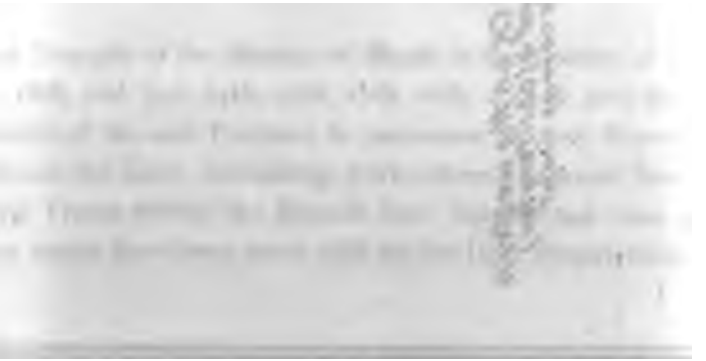

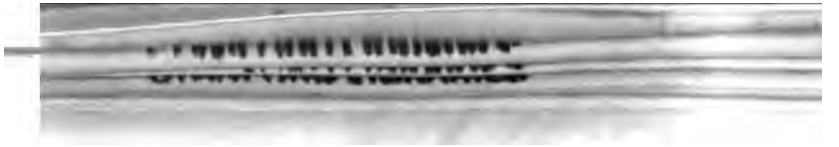

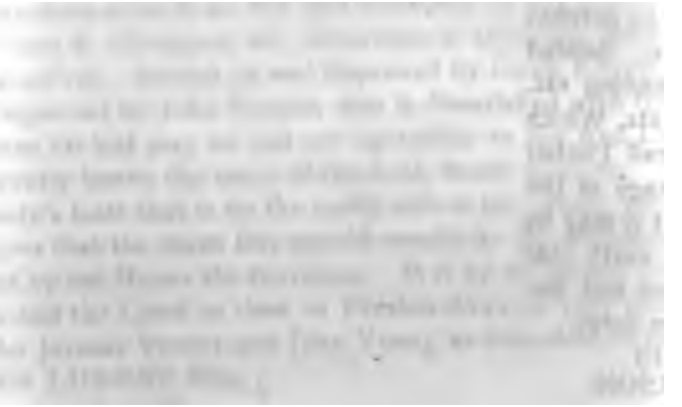

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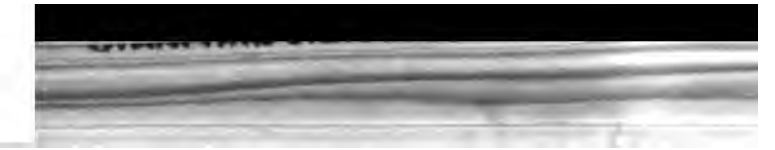

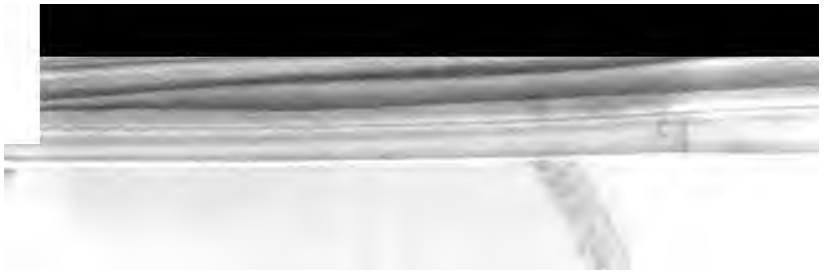

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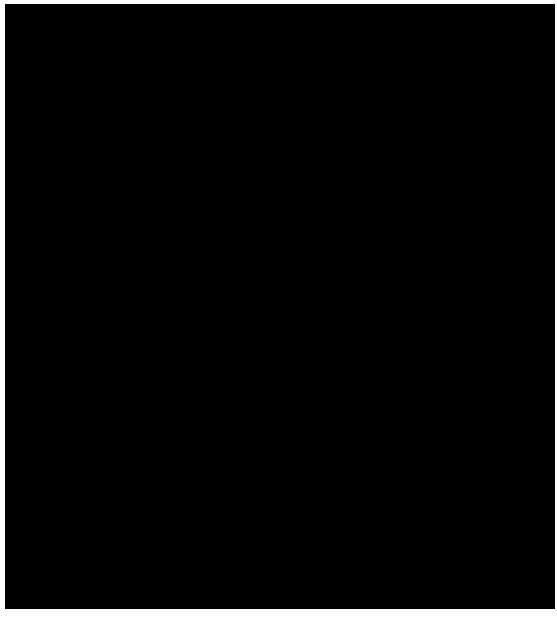

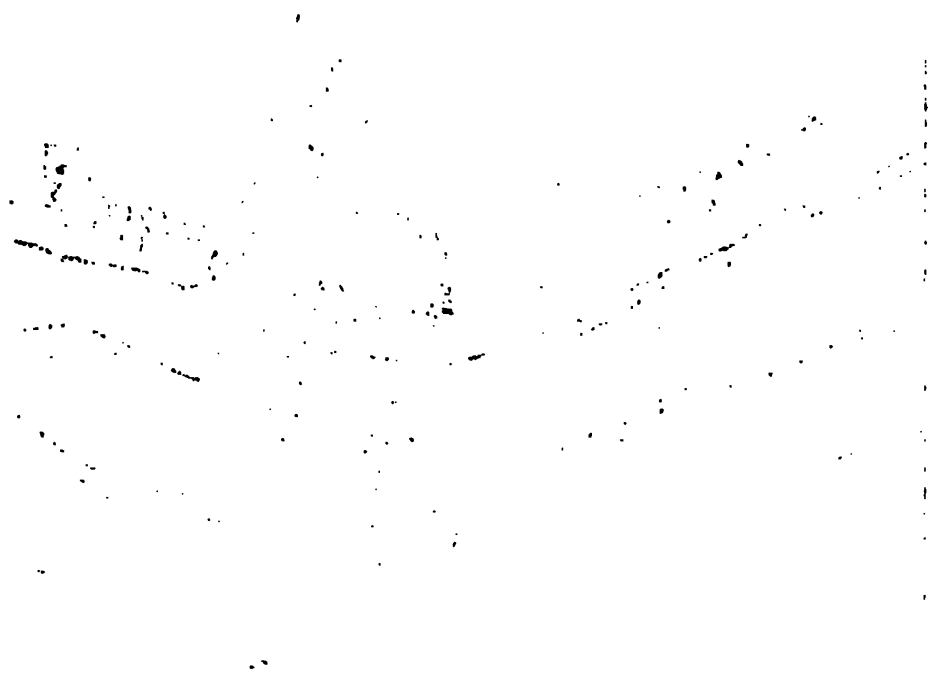

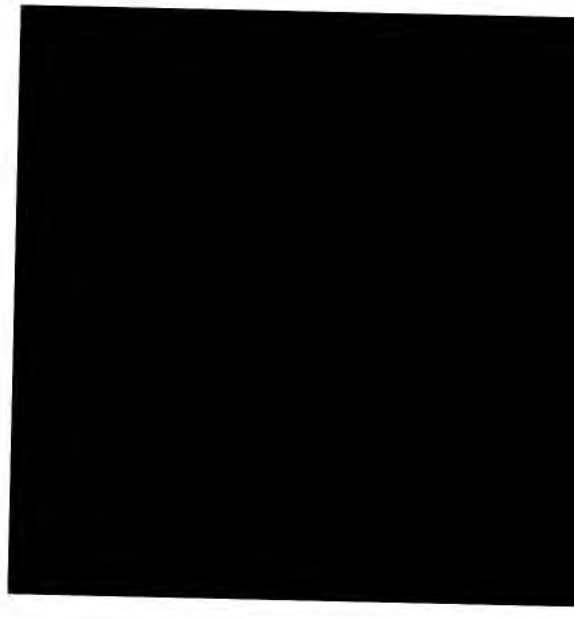

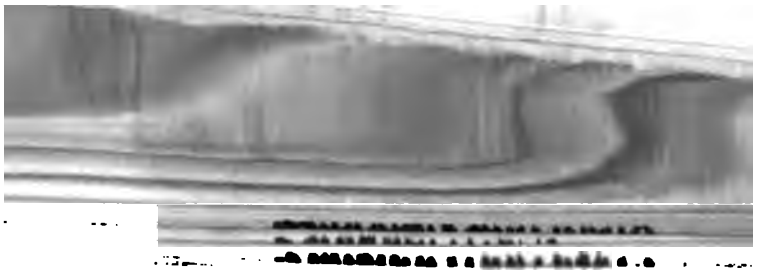

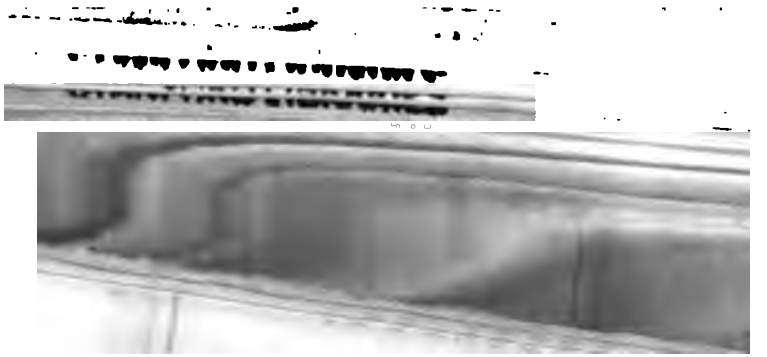

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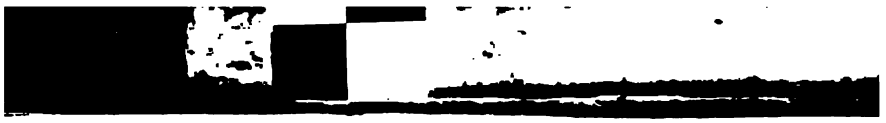

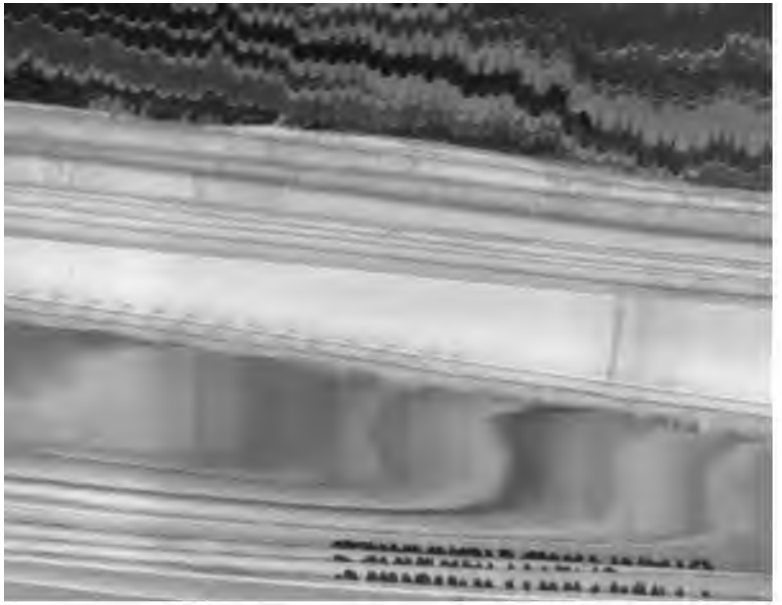

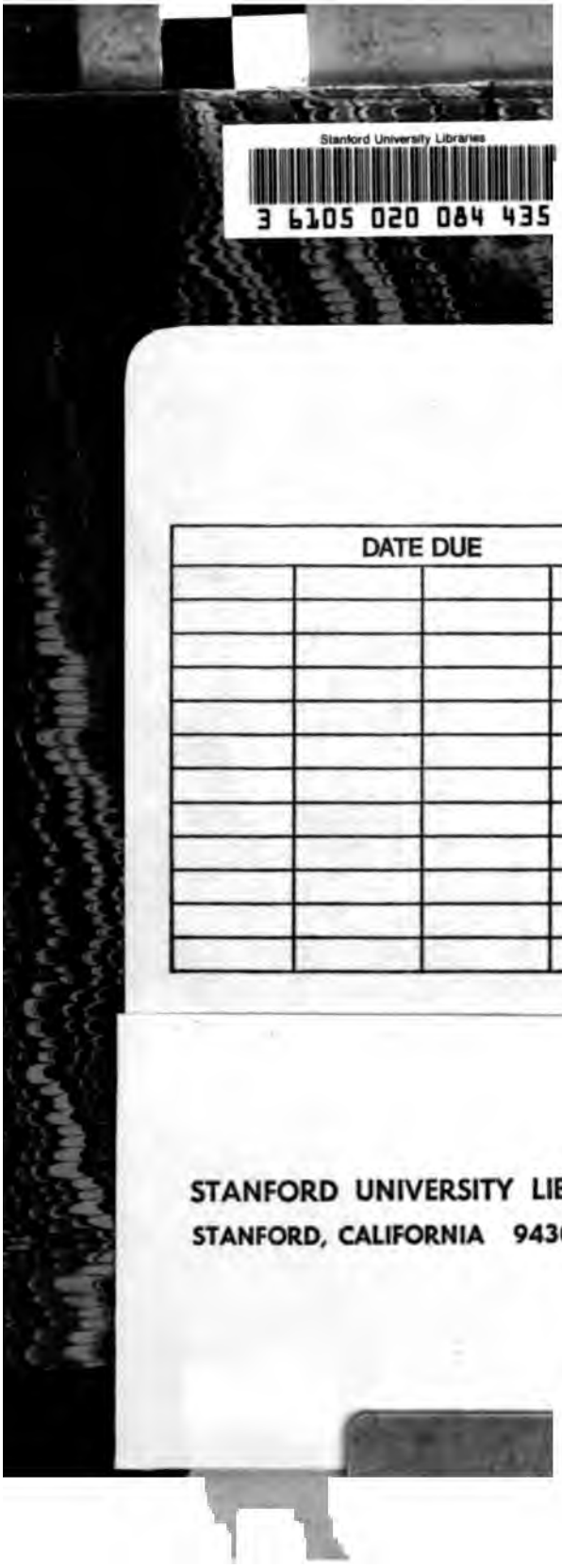
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